under your Command. Should you meet with the Enemy's Vessels March 21 in going down, or coming up the Bay, you will take the Advice of Liber No. 78 Captⁿ Frazier, as to your Proceedings: but if unforeseen Events should turn up, or should require, in your Judgment, an Alteration in the intended Expedition, and a different one to be adopted; I leave it to your Discretion to act as Circumstances shall direct.

Saturday 22d March 1783.

Present His Excellency the Governor

Benjamin Stoddert, Gabriel Duvall and James Brice Esquires

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer issue Certificates agreeable to the "Act proposing to the Citizens of this State Creditors of Congress &ca" to Sarah Ijams for one hundred and seven pounds, seventeen shillings and four pence and to Charles Jones for two hundred and eighty six pounds twelve shillings & six pence due on Cont1 Loan Off. Certs adjusted by A G.—

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Robert Couden p. 397 Esqr Thirty five pounds six shillings and two pence for one Years Interest on five Certificates issued agreeable to the "Act to adjust the Debts due from this State."-

Tuesday 25th March 1783

Present His Excellency the Governor

Benja Stoddert, Jer. T. Chase, Jas Brice and John H Stone Esquires

Permission given to Herman Stidcher of Baltimore County to go into the City of New York by Dobbs's Ferry to Transact private business and return.-

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to James O'Harra p. 397 out of the Money set apart for Contingent Expences four pounds Current Money for his Support, agreeable to the Resolution of the General Assembly passed July Session 1779.-

That the said Treasurer issue to Robert Dick a Certificate agreeable to the "Act proposing to the Citizens of this State Creditors of Congress on Loan Office Certificates &ca" for one hundred and ninety pounds six shillings and eleven pence due him on Continental Loan Office Certificates adjusted the 14th Instant

That the said Treasurer issue to Thomas Richardson a Certificate agreeable to the Act aforesaid for ninety three pounds seven shillings and six pence due him on Continental Loan Office Certificates adjusted by the Aud. General.-

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